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MEMORANDUM

TO: Fairhaven Retirement Board

FROM: Joseph E. Connarton, Executive Director

RE: Approval of Funding Schedule

DATE: November 29, 2016

This Commission is hereby furnishing you with approval of the revised funding schedule you recently adopted (copy enclosed). The schedule assumes payments are made on July 1 of each fiscal year. The schedule is effective in FY17 (since the amount under the prior schedule was maintained in FY17) and is acceptable under Chapter 32. We corrected the heading of the schedule to indicate the 5.0% annual increases continue through FY30 with a final amortization payment in FY31.

The revised schedule reflects a reduction in the investment return assumption from 7.75% to 7.50% and the adoption of a fully generational mortality assumption.

The Board adopted a schedule reflecting a \$14,000 COLA base. The Board expects that the COLA base will be increased from \$13,000 to \$14,000 effective July 1, 2017. When we prepare the valuation report, we will note that the actuarial liabilities as of January 1, 2016 reflect the \$13,000 base but the funding schedule reflects a \$14,000 base.

If you have any questions, please contact PERAC's Actuary, Jim Lamenzo, at (617) 666-4446, extension 921.

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Fairhaven Retirement System January 1, 2016

Total appropriation increases 5.0% each year through FY30, with a final amortization payment in FY31

Fiscal	Normal	Net	Amort. of	Amort. of	Total	Unfunded	Total Cost
<u>Year</u>	Cost	3(8)(c)	$\underline{\mathbf{UAL}}$	<u>2002 ERI</u>	Cost	Act. Liab.	% Increase
2017	927,633	84,000	1,808,026	72,641	2,892,300	23,291,579	•
2018	969,376	84,000	1,910,898	72,641	3,036,915	23,016,731	5.0%
2019	1,012,998	84,000	2,019,122	72,641	3,188,761	22,610,682	5.0%
2020	1,058,583	84,000	2,205,615		3,348,199	22,057,838	5.0%
2021	1,106,220	84,000	2,325,389		3,515,609	21,341,139	5.0%
2022	1,155,999	84,000	2,451,390		3,691,389	20,441,932	5.0%
2023	1,208,019	84,000	2,583,939		3,875,959	19,339,833	5.0%
2024	1,262,380	84,000	2,723,376		4,069,757	18,012,585	5.0%
2025	1,319,187	84,000	2,870,057		4,273,244	16,435,900	5.0%
2026	1,378,551	84,000	3,024,356		4,486,907	14,583,281	5.0%
2027	1,440,586	84,000	3,186,666	, ,	4,711,252	12,425,845	5.0%
2028	1,505,412	84,000	3,357,403		4,946,815	9,932,117	5.0%
2029	1,573,156	84,000	3,537,000		5,194,155	7,067,818	5.0%
2030	1,643,948	84,000	3,725,915		5,453,863	3,795,630	5.0%
2031	1,717,925	84,000	74,943		1,876,868	74,943	-65.6%
2032	1,795,232	84,000	•		1,879,232	0	0.1%

Appropriation payments assumed to be made July I of each fiscal year.

Normal cost assumed to increase 4.5% per year.

Assumed expenses of \$200,000

FY17 appropriation was maintained at the same level as the prior schedule.